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Applicants: John W. Phillips Confirmation No.: 1907

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Reporter Gene to Screen for Antifungal or Lipid

Lowering Compounds

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

This communication is in response to the final Office Action mailed June 23,

2009 which set a three-month period for response that expires on September 23, 2009.

Applicant requests consideration of the enclosed Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.